AGENDA COMMODITY PROCUREMENT ANNUAL INDUSTRY CONFERENCE FRUIT and VEGETABLE PURCHASE PROGRAMS

Gaylord National Hotel and Convention Center 201 Waterfront Street National Harbor, MD 20745

April 20, 2012

8:00-8:15	Welcome Robert Keeney, Deputy Administrator AMS, Fruit and Vegetable Programs
8:15-8:45	Industry Concerns Chuck Parrott, Associate Deputy Administrator AMS, Fruit and Vegetable Programs
8:45-9:30	Overview of Dietary Guidelines & Procurement Needs for the Coming Year Laura Walter, Chief FNS, Program Support Branch
9:30-10:00	Commodity Inspection Updates Al Hoover, Branch Head AMS, Inspection and Standardization
10:00-10:15	Break
10:15-10:45	USDA Gap Audit Program Updates Ken Petersen, Audit Programs Manager AMS, Fresh Products Division
10:45-11:00	Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Pilot Program Updates Rex Barnes, Deputy Administrator AMS, Poultry Programs
11:00-12:30	Questions and Answers